

A close-up photograph of a baby with dark hair and skin, sitting in a car seat. The baby is looking slightly to the side and has a white pacifier with a blue ring in their mouth. The car seat is white and black.

Not even for a minute!

Never leave a child alone in a car.

Left alone in a vehicle, even for a short time, a child is in danger of:
dehydration . injury . abduction . death

- Never leave children unattended or unsupervised in an automobile.
- Always put your keys in a safe and secure place.
- Check to ensure that all child passengers leave the vehicle when you reach your destination. Do not overlook sleeping infants.
- Always lock your car, even at home, and remind your friends and neighbors to do the same. Unlocked cars pose a risk to children who are naturally curious and often fearless.
- Teach your children the dangers of a car and let them know that it is not a toy or playground.
- Try to plan ahead when you have errands to run. Do errands when a spouse, trusted neighbor or friend can watch your child.
- Remember to use drive-up windows at your bank, dry cleaners and other businesses that provide them.

It's a car accident you can prevent.